

300 TROOPS THREATEN TO SINK TRANSPORT

RHINE WILL BE OPEN TO SHIPS OF ALL NATIONS

Kiel Canal Will Also Be Free to Traffic in Peace Times.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, March 12.—(Delayed) The navigation of the Rhine has been opened to all nations, without discrimination, was made in a report to the peace conference today by the commission on the international regime of waterways, railways and ports. It is suggested that the Rhine be controlled by a commission similar to the Danube commission.

The status of the Kiel canal has been settled by the commission on the basis of the freedom of use for all nations for merchant vessels or warships in time of peace. The canal would continue under German ownership and operation.

The question of the fortifications of the canal is left by the commission to the decision of military and naval experts.

The report of the commission was not favorable to allowing the Belgian claim that special duties be imposed on German vessels.

The report further recommended that a general conference be held within a year to deal with all questions pertaining to the navigation of international waterways, which are regarded as too intricate or complex, to be settled finally within the limited life of the peace conference.

YOUNG WOMAN TAKEN INTO CUSTODY; INSANE

Mrs. Mae Cobb, Aged 18 Created Sensation at Bishop Hotel Last Eve.

Mrs. Mae "Sunshine" Cobb, 18 years of age, claiming Walnut as her home, was taken in custody by members of the police and sheriff's forces last night about 10 o'clock and taken to the county jail. Mike Ennis, proprietor of the Bishop hotel, where the girl has been staying for about a week, telephoned to the police that the girl had gone insane and feared that she would commit suicide.

Mrs. Cobb, whose husband is dead, came to Dixon about ten days ago and worked here about two days. Since that time she has been staying at the Bishop hotel. She was asked by the police to go to her folks a few days ago and promised that she would obey this request but had not left the hotel until she was taken away last evening.

At the county jail she told disconnected stories and did not seem to know just where her parents were living. She finally gave Mount Sterling, Ill., as the place where they might be located and a telegram was sent to that address last night. An answer this morning stated that her father, Dillard Reed was not known in that place. The authorities are trying to find out where the parents reside in order that they may be notified of the condition of the young woman and see that she is given the necessary attention.

Letters which she carried, showed that a warm courtship had developed in the brief time she has been in Dixon. In one letter she told of her love for a local young man and begged him to elope with her. In a second letter she again expressed her devotion for the ideal of her dreams. The girl seems to be mentally unbalanced and may be sent to some institution for treatment.

Iowa Heroes May Go to Meet Their Pals

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Des Moines, Ia., March 12.—Iowa's house of representatives today received the bill, passed unanimously by the senate late yesterday, for an appropriation of \$50,000 to send invalid Iowa soldiers of the Rainbow division to New York to meet their comrades of the 186th division when that division returns from France.

Early passage of the measure is considered assured.

ADJUST RAIL COMPENSATION

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 12.—Annual rent to be paid by the government to the Chicago, Terre Haute and Southeastern Railway company and the San Antonio, Uvalde and Gulf Railroad company will be determined by boards of referees appointed today by the I. C. C.

Weather

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Illinois: Fair tonight; warmer in the south and central portions; Thursday increasing cloudiness; warmer in south-east portion.

HOLY SEE WILL PARTICIPATE IN LEAGUE NATIONS

Official Organ Suggests Pact Might Be in Simpler Form.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Rome, Tuesday, March 11.—(Delayed) The Observators Romano, the semi-official organ of the Vatican, prints an article on the league of nations which is understood to embody the participation of the Holy See. "The league of nations," said the Holy See, "might have been constituted in a simpler manner" and outlines the functions of the league as follows:

The setting up of an arbitration tribunal to solve international conflicts.

The formation of a society of all civilized nations, including those defeated in the war, which will pledge themselves to submit their differences to a tribunal and accept its rulings.

The bringing about of an engagement to declare an economic boycott against any nation which refuses to submit controversies to a tribunal or which will not accept decisions on matters which have been so submitted.

In conclusion the article recalls that such a project was suggested in the pope's appeal to belligerent nations on August 1, 1917.

New Motor Fuel to Help Racing Game

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 12.—Development, too late for use in the war, of a motor fuel which adds ten miles an hour to the speed of airplanes and racing automobiles, was announced by the bureau of mines today.

The liquid, a combination of benzol and cyclohexane, called hecat, costs \$1 a gallon, so while of military value, it is not regarded as practical for commercial purposes at present.

Another combination, developed by the bureau of mines, consisting of benzol and gasoline, and found to be more powerful than gasoline alone, is expected to prove of value in industry. The comparative scarcity of benzol, however, makes its production to supplement gasoline on a large scale improbable in the near future.

International Wage for Seaman Reached

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, Tuesday, March 12.—(Delayed) After a general discussion at today's meeting of the International Seamen's congress, the delegates decided in favor of an international wage, based on the minimum scale adopted recently at London, of 15 pounds a month for seamen and firemen.

The congress, which is being attended by representatives of the seamen's associations of Great Britain, the United States, Denmark, Sweden and Norway will last three days. The congress will discuss indemnities for families of seamen killed by German submarines and compensation for tonnage lost.

Eliminate Licenses on Powder March 15

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 12.—Explosives may be purchased without a license, except by alien enemies, after March 15 for reclaiming lands, stump blasting and other agricultural purposes, the interior department announced today in modifying a war-time regulation. Enemy aliens are not permitted to manufacture, buy or sell explosives for any purpose.

Road Bond Suit in the Supreme Court

Springfield, Ill., March 12.—The suit questioning the validity of the \$60,000, 000 hard road bond issue was filed in the Illinois supreme court on an appeal from the circuit court of Sangamon county.

The proceedings, which are of a friendly nature, will be argued before the April term of the supreme court and a decision is expected in June.

The case which was filed in the Sangamon circuit court some time ago was dismissed for want of equity.

Three German Ships Are to Be Interned

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Dunkirk, March 12.—(Havas)—Three German steamers captured by allied warships for violation of the armistice terms have arrived here for internment. The steamers are the Italia, Mercury and Pluto.

New Civil Service Heads Are Appointed

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 12.—Martin A. Morrison of Indiana, and George R. Wales of Vermont, were appointed to the civil service commission today by President Wilson, succeeding John A. McIlhenny and Herman W. Craven, whose resignations were sent to the White House some time ago.

NORTH DIXON HAS BOTH CANDIDATES FOR MAYORALTY

J. W. Watts and Mark D. Smith Chosen By Voters Tuesday.

Both of the candidates for mayor at the city election to be held on Tuesday, April 15, will be from North Dixon, the voters of the city at the primary election yesterday eliminating Collins Dyasart and A. C. Moeller of the south side of the river; and thereby leaving the field open to James W. Watts and Mark D. Smith, both of the north side.

The three candidates for commissioner who failed to get under the wire for places on the ballot at the April election were John Bennett, Joseph E. Miller and R. A. Rodesch.

Successful candidates with their total vote, were:

For Mayor
James W. Watts 791
Mark D. Smith 691

For Commissioner
John J. Armstrong 1043
Frank D. Palmer 1021

George A. Campbell 899
Albert B. Whitcombe 836

W. V. Slothower 747
George W. Smith 655

John Fitzsimmons 556
Julius C. Williams 519

For Police Magistrate
Harold Sheller 688
W. G. Kent 545

The complete vote accorded all candidates will be found in a table on page 1 of this issue of The Telegraph.

Vote Was Light

The total vote was but 2095, less than half the vote of the city at the election in April, 1915, when 4191 votes were cast, and also less than the vote at the primary that year, at which 2533 ballots were polled.

U. S. WILL FIGHT GREAT BRITAIN CABLE CONTROL

Captured Lines Must Be Divided for Sake of American Business.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, March 12.—Realizing the possibility of a virtual monopoly of cable communications by Great Britain, should her claim to the captured cables be sustained, with the consequent submission of the great foreign business interests of the United States to alien control in this respect, the American delegates to the peace conference are endeavoring to make a strong presentation of their case before legal authorities to whom the subject has been referred. The naval experts, who first considered the question, were unable to agree, and the supreme council, upon motion of Secretary of State Lansing, referred to legal experts the question of title involved. These experts are being pressed by the Americans for a decision.

Early in the war the British cut the two German cables from Emden to America by way of the Azores and also the cable between Moravia, the Liberian capital and Brazil. They took one end of the German-American cable to Halifax, thereby securing another trans-Atlantic line for themselves. The other cable they gave to the French government which so far has made no attempt to utilize it probably because of the scarcity of submarine cable matter and of cable laying ships.

The British now claim that these cables are prizes of war. They do not intend to allow their return to Germany or to reward them as subject to disposition by the peace conference.

Conrad Salzman is recuperating slowly from a sick spell which confined him to his home for a short time recently. Casper Schulte of Harmon, was in town yesterday.

FULL MARKET REPORT IS FEATURE OF TELEGRAPH'S NEW LEASED WIRE

By far the most complete market report ever given to farmers and business men of Lee county is appearing daily in the Evening Telegraph. These quotations are furnished by the Associated Press over our leased wire and are the same quotations as are given the following day in Chicago morning papers.

Of exceptional interest to the farmer are the complete Chicago future quotations, the Chicago cash grain, the Chicago produce, Chicago livestock and the daily market summary on grain. These are telegraphed to this office immediately after the close of the market and are accurate and reliable.

In order to provide farmers a means of comparison with Chicago markets, quotations are printed each day on Peoria, Minneapolis and Toledo grain and Kansas City livestock.

For horse buyer and seller is quoted the East St. Louis horse market, the largest in the middle west and the basis of market quotations throughout this part of the country.

The reader interested in stock transactions will find the Wall Street close each day, with quotations on all principal stocks. For Mr. Everyman is quoted the New York prices of Liberty bonds.

Local markets, always accurate, are a feature of the Telegraph's market page. Surely there was never as complete a market page published in Lee county and it is one feature of the Associated Press leased wire.

7,500 YANKEES START HOME ON FIVE STEAMERS

Some Illinois Units Included in List Reported on Way.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 12.—Five transports, bringing about 5,000 officers and 7,000 men, were announced today by the war department as having sailed from France. Among the complete units on board are the 37th Engineers, 133rd Field Artillery and 318th Field Battalion Signal Corps.

The Haverford is due at Philadelphia about March 20 with the 318th Field Battalion Signal Corps complete, and Mobile Hospital number 103. This ship has also three casual companies of Pennsylvania troops, three of Ohio, and one each of Michigan, California, Minnesota, Illinois, Oklahoma, Montana and Alabama (colored).

The Rijndam will arrive at Newport News, March 21, with the 133rd Field artillery complete; the 114th Machine gun battalion and 17 casual officers.

The Princess Matoika is due at Newport News, March 21, with the 27th Engineers complete; 12th Balloon company and the 34th Balloon company for various camps. On board also are the 306th Trench Mortar battery and casual companies of Iowa, Illinois, and Georgia troops, the 3rd Trench Mortar battery, 232d Telegraph battalion and four convalescent detachments.

The Polardian is due at New York, March 24, with a few casualties.

LATE BULLETINS

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Berlin, Tuesday, March 11.—The Spartacists have opened negotiations for surrender to the government forces, according to reports in circulation this afternoon.

NEWARK CARS TIED UP

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Newark, N. J., March 12.—Virtually all the surface car lines of the Public Railway company, which operates through 141 cities and towns in Northern New Jersey, were tied up today by the strike of 4,500 employees. Union recognition is the chief demand of the men.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grup of Franklin Grove traded in Dixon today.

FARM HOUSE WAS BURNED TOTALLY TUES. AFTERNOON

Garfield Topper Badly Burned Also When Grease Exploded.

The Garfield Topper home on the Mrs. Emma Geisler farm, situated one and one-half miles south of Nachusa, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon at about 2:30. The blaze started in the summer kitchen, where Mr. Topper was heating grease for the purpose of oiling harness. The tank in which the grease was being heated, exploded, the force blowing the door open and the flames spreading to all parts of the house.

Mr. Topper was quite badly burned about face and head from the explosion and suffers considerable pain. The large seven room house was soon enveloped in flame and the efforts of neighbors in assisting to remove articles of furniture from the house met with very little success. Practically all of the household goods were consumed in the fire together with seven bushels of thimble seed. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

SECRETARY A. W. DAVIS HAS RESIGNED POSITION

Popular Secretary of Y. M. C. A. Has Given Up His Place in This City.

Secretary Allen W. Davis of the Dixon Y. M. C. A. has tendered his resignation to the board of directors to become effective about the first of June. The resignation has been accepted and plans are now under way for securing a successor to Mr. Davis, who came to Dixon from Hyde Park and took charge of the local association the last of March, a year ago.

He has been untiring in his work of reorganization of the association and while his time of residence in Dixon has been short, he has been very active both in church and civic circles and has won a host of warm friends who will regret to learn of his action. Mr. Davis is not decided as to his future plans as he has several propositions under consideration.

The board of directors of the association are making a strong effort to secure the return of Secretary J. Der Kinderen, who is now associated with Y. M. C. A. overseas work in England. He has been invited to consider returning to Dixon to again take charge as general secretary and the board is awaiting his reply. Mr. Der Kinderen is very uncertain at this time as to when he would be able to come to Dixon or even return to the United States as the work he is doing in England will keep him abroad until the peace treaty is signed.

Light Vote Was Cast In Sterling Election

(Special to the Telegraph)
Sterling, March 12.—In the primary election held here yesterday, N. G. Van Sant and J. P. Overholser were nominated for mayor the former receiving 789 votes and the latter 479. M. E. Wilger, John Meister, Theo. Trouth, Walter Moore, B. F. Hendricks, F. G. Giffrow, C. S. Vandemark and A. Kauffman were nominated for commissioner.

902,000 in British Army of Occupation

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Tuesday, March 11.—The government announced in the house of commons today that the total strength of effective and non-effective British troops in the armies of occupation in all theaters of war amounts to 902,000 men, including officers. The strength of the British in France, Belgium and Germany including dominion troops on February 1, was 1,234,106.

It was stated that 197,000 German prisoners are being fed by the British commissary department.

AMERICANS ON BRITISH VESSEL SEEK RELEASE

Men Chafe at Delay in Landing After Trip Across Atlantic.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Halifax, March 12.—Threats of 300 troops of the British army, who enlisted in America, 81 of them American citizens, to sink the transport Tolosa unless immediately allowed to land and proceed to their destination in the United States by rail, were reported to the Canadian officers today by Captain Jackson, commander of the transport.

The captain said that his orders from the British admiralty were to take the men to Halifax and disembark them there, but the military authorities at Ottawa refused, it is stated, to furnish transportation of the men to their homes in the United States. After having started for New York and being forced to return the men complained bitterly of being held up in their journey and their threats resulted.

Citizens of This Country
They say that after serving in the British army for various terms of from two to four years it would almost seem they are citizens of no country. Most of them came to Canada during the early months of the war and enlisted in the British expeditionary force.

After consultation with the authorities, the only answer that Captain Jackson could take back to the ship today was the fact that those who had enough money to pay their transportation and sufficient additional money to meet the United States immigration law would be allowed to land. But only a small number, it is understood, possessed the necessary funds.

Disclaimers Responsibility
The captain said he disclaimed all responsibility for anything that might happen when the decision became known to the men.

The American immigration officials were appealed to but they took the ground that the men possessed no papers proving them to be American citizens or residents and that in the absence of these they would have to pay their entrance fee of \$8 and the amount of money stipulated by the American immigration laws in addition to transportation before being passed for entry into the United States.

The Tolosa is under orders to remain here until Friday, coaling before proceeding to New York.

The Tolosa after debarking Canadian troops, sailed for New York with the American bound contingent on March 10, but was ordered back to this port to coal for the return trip to England because of the outbreak or the harbor strike in New York.

Captain Jackson told the authorities that he had no guns aboard and that his ship was at the mercy of the soldiers.

WOMAN'S ANKLE TOO ATTRACTIVE TO JURORS' EYES

So Court Orders Plaintiff in Case to Be Placed in Box in Court.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, March 12.—Because Mrs. Betty Inch was too generous in the display of her ankles to jurymen, who failed a month ago to agree on a verdict in her trial on a charge of extortion, she found the witness stand surrounded by a four-foot board fence when she arrived today in the supreme court for the second hearing of her case.

Though the court and prosecutor professed ignorance for the reason for the erection of the barrier, court attendants recalled a statement of the latter, when the first jury disagreed, that "Mrs. Inch must not show her ankle to the jurors at the next trial," else he would "ask the court to make her lower her dress."

"What is it, a spite fence?" the comedy Mrs. Inch inquired when she entered the court room.

The partition concealed all but her head and shoulders when she took the stand. She is being tried on a charge of extorting \$215 from Eugene P. Herman, president of a motor truck company.

Czech Affairs Are Finally Adjusted

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, Tuesday, March 11.—(Delayed) The peace conference commission on Czechoslovak affairs has almost completed its work. The official communiqué of the commission given out after its fifth meeting today under the presidency of Jules Cambon made this announcement and stated that direction for the preparation of its report had been given.

REPAIR PACIFIC CABLE
NEW YORK, March 12.—The cable between Honolulu and Midway Islands has been repaired and communication with the Philippines, China and Japan by way of San Francisco has been restored. The Commercial Cable company announced today.

Complete Vote Cast At Primary Election Tuesday, March 11

First			Second			Third			Fourth			Fifth			Totals		Grand Total
Men	Wom.	Tot.	Men	Wom.	Tot.	Men	Wom.	Tot.	Men	Wom.	Tot.	Men	Wom.	Tot.	Men	Women	
FOR MAYOR—																	
Dysart	40	34	74	16	12	28	4	1	5	7	7	14	15	19	34	82	73
Moeller	65	36	101	80	59	139	64	45	109	40	20	60	29	10	39	278	170
Watts	85	55	140	92	67	159	97	53	150	107	76	183	113	46	159	494	791
Smith	68	33	101	58	37	95	40	27	67	68	48	116	179	133	312	413	297
FOR COMMISSIONER—																	
Armstrong	118	61	179	130	79	209	154	86	240	154	85	239	133	43	176	689	354
Bennett	27	13	40	65	39	104	66	31	97	42	11	53	33	11	44	233	105
Campbell	114	77	191	129	82	211	54	36	90	69	61	130	174	112	286	531	368
Fitzsimmons	53	35	88	72	47	119	120	75	195	60	37	97	40	17	57	345	211
Miller	64	25	81	16	45	61	34	11	45	33	14	47	65	19	84	212	114
Palmer	157	78	235	130	93	223	67	36	103	101	73	174	166	120	286	621	400
Rodesch	25	6	31	29	11	40	13	8	21	25	14	39	108	51	159	191	90
Slothower	91	43	134	87	46	133	75	39	114	102	61	163	124	79	203	479	288
Smith	82	48	130	68	51	119	23	15	38	32	49	81	164	123	287	369	286
Whitcombe	106	75	181	101	71	172	34	25	59	68	61	129	182	113	295	491	345
Williams	74	33	107	91	61	152	29	11	40	68	29	97	75	48	123	337	182
FOR POLICE MAGISTRATE—																	
Kent	118			115			98			94			120			545	545
Sheller	136			127			111			119			195			688	688
Total Vote	160	261	421	181	251	432	128	212	340	150	206	356	339	207	546	958	1137

"GRAB YOUR OWN SEAT," BAKER IS TOLD BY BRAKIE

Employee of Iowa Railroad No Respector of Persons in This Case.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Des Moines, Ia., March 12.—The last two hours of Secretary Baker's and Chief of Staff March's journey to Des Moines was aboard a stuffy two-coach local train from Ames where they made a connection from their Chicago train. But the officials took it good naturedly. When Major Swing, aide to General March, rushed from the Chicago train over to the local and requested the brakeman to "save a seat for the secretary of war and the chief of staff," he was met with:

"Save nothing; I ain't got no authority to save no seats for nobody. If you got any secretaries with you, they'll have to take their chances on seats just like anybody else."

And the train—one day coach and a smoker—was jammed with the variety of passengers common to local trains, with the usual quota of crying babies and querulous children.

One day coach seat—half a seat, in fact—was discovered and as the secretary declined, General March took it, and Mr. Baker soon went to the smoker which was not quite so crowded.

The jerky, bumpy journey to Des Moines proved full of incidents that brought humorous speculation from General March as more passengers and milk cans were piled at each successive station.

At one point the train travels two miles up a blind side track to Polk City and backs out to the main line again.

This aroused General March's curiosity. He thought it might be a desire to demonstrate that the engine could travel both ways, but he found his solution when the train stopped, took on a passenger and started forward again.

"See," he said, "they passed up that fellow the first time," and he marveled that any railroad could be so accommodating.

AMUSEMENTS

"BIRTH OF A RACE."

"The Birth of a Race," the big new photoplay wonder is announced for an engagement at the opera house on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 18 and 19, matinees and nights.

Joseph Carl Breil, who composed the music for other great productions is the composer of the score for "The Birth of a Race," and an augmented orchestra is also a part of this organization.

The scenes were taken in Florida, New York and New Jersey under the direction of John W. Noble. The photoplay is by Herbert O. Carlton and the developing is the work of the Craftsmen laboratories. Art titles are from the studio of Ferdinand Pinney Earl.

Among the many who contributed important characterizations to this production are: Jane Gray, Anna Lher, Anita Cortez, Will H. Gregory, George LeGuere, Philip Van Loan, Charles Graham, Ben Hendricks, Alice Gale, Dorris Doscher, Dick Lee, Edwin Borling, David Wall and Belle Seacombe.

The story grew of the World War. That is the final growth. It deals with freedom and the better understanding between the different races and nationalities which have poured into our country and into our national melting pot. From our system of amalgamation there has come forth a new race—the American race. This new race has a new vision of freedom, liberty, equality and fraternity, and it is this new spirit which turns the balance of power and makes possible the dethronement of autocracy.

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Brief Summary of Last Night's News

Paris—The supreme council decided to investigate the intrigues of Germany, Austria and Hungary against Czechoslovakia.

Washington—The war department has decided to abandon the Neville Island ordnance project near Pittsburgh.

Washington—Railroad executives decided to create committee to co-operate with the railroad administration in arranging railroad finances.

London—The German government troops greatly reinforced have resumed the fighting in Lichtenberg.

Berlin—German troops have recaptured Laiden and Schruden, north-east of Libau.

Washington—Improvements in conditions was reported by the U. S. employment service.

Stockholm—A British squadron has arrived at Libau.

Paris—France has abandoned for the present any hope of having her war debt shared by the allies.

Paris—Queen Marie of Rumania may soon visit the United States.

Manchester, N. H.—Chick Hayes defeated Al Shubert in 12 rounds.

South Bend, Ind.—Frankie Mason won a popular decision over Pat Moore.

Geneva—It is alleged the former German emperor has complained against his residence in Holland and desires to go to the Rivera or Egypt.

Tokio—Seven hundred houses have been destroyed by fire in Sendai.

London—The personnel of the German fleet is to be restricted to 15,000, the supreme council has decided according to a dispatch from Paris.

OAK FOREST

Mrs. DeWitt Warner and son, Carl, were Dixon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Puritman and daughter, Nellie, spent Sunday at the John Gearhart home.

Arthur Tholen spent the week-end at the home of his parents.

Jacob Boone has purchased a new Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reese and son, Kenneth, were visitors at the James McPherson home Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Moser and little son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bowers.

Verna Davis has accepted a position at the Nettz garage in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Law and little son were Dixon visitors Saturday.

John Mumma spent Saturday evening in Oregon.

Mrs. Helen Davis and Mrs. Lester Reese and daughter, Helen, motored to Dixon Tuesday.

Small Nations Will Be Given Their Say

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, March 12.—The supreme council, in accordance with the decision reached yesterday, today closed the question of the representation of the small nations on economic and financial commissions by making the following appointments.

Economic commissions—Representatives of Belgium, Brazil, China, Poland, Portugal, Rumania and Serbia.

Financial commission—Representatives of Belgium, Greece, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Rumania, Serbia and one country to be named.

GREAT CLEANUP ON BOTH SIDES OF RIO GRANDE

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Brownsville, Tex., March 12.—While Mexican authorities are conducting a campaign against smugglers, stock thieves and outlaws who are considered responsible for many of the troubles along the border, American civil authorities are making a clean sweep of lawless characters on this side the Rio Grande.

Texas rangers along the river from here to Santa Maria arrested nine men in one day. Several were wanted on charges of evading the draft, one was said to be a deserter from Camp Travis, and one was wanted in connection with the bandit raid in 1916 on the Galveston ranch of Joseph Turner. In this raid two United States soldiers were killed and several wounded.

These men fled into Mexico, but returned to the American side after the recent summary executions of outlaws by Mexican rurales. The executions were in line with instructions of Governor Andres Osuna of the state of Tamaulipas to "clean up" the Mexican side of the border. It is said the rurales have executed twenty-five men, all professional outlaws, since the cleanup started.

U. S. S. Iowa Brings Home 1922 Yankees

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, March 12.—With 1922 troops the steamship Iowa arrived from St. Nazaire. It included the 101st trench mortar battery of the 26th division—the first troops of this New England division to arrive home.

Other units are:

Three hundred and fourteenth trench mortar battery, 3 officers and 129 men of the 89th division (National Army troops of Kansas, Missouri and Colorado) assigned to Camp Dodge.

Three hundred and fiftieth trench mortar battery, of the 90th division, for Camps Bowie, Dix and Travis.

Three hundred and tenth trench mortar battery, of the 85th division, for Camp Custer.

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the 33rd division, (National Guard troops of Illinois) for Camp Grant.

Also the following: Fifty-third transportation corps for Camps Grant, Logan, Meade, Lewis and Upton; 5th battery trench artillery and supply detachment of 657th aero squadron and 138, 171 and 179 of New York.

The steamship Amphion brought 177 casualties. This vessel from St. Nazaire, had sailed for Newport News but was diverted to New York.

The steamship Chinampa, from La Pallice, carried 32 casualties.

The steamship Suriname, from Bordeaux brought 44 casualties.

The hospital ship Mercy arrived today from Bordeaux with 371 sick and wounded men, most of them bed ridden.

Food Shortage in Archangel Certain

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Archangel, Tuesday, March 11.—(Delayed)—The food situation in Northern Russia is causing some concern. In the district between Archangel and Onega, where a heavy frost late last summer killed even the Arctic summer berries, the people have already eaten the ration fixed for next June.

Citizens of Archangel are receiving more rations than people in country districts and it had been calculated that in the country the crops would supplement the rations provided, but the frost intervened.

The desperate need for foodstuffs in the regions far north along the Arctic shores was brought sharply to the at-

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tion of the allied food commissions when delegates from Mexico arrived by reindeer teams and camped at the doors of the committee urging assistance. They brought samples of the bread that they were forced to eat. It was made of a small quantity of white flour mixed with ground up dried fish.

Suffrage Loses in Iowa Legislature

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Des Moines, Ia., March 12.—Woman suffrage lost in the Iowa assembly Tuesday when that body voted to indefinitely postpone the house bill granting woman primary suffrage and then passed the resolution proposing full woman suffrage through constitutional amendment.

The constitutional suffrage now goes to the house. If passed there it will have to pass the next legislature too, before being submitted to a vote of the people.

Mexican Cattle Are Being Shipped Here

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Laredo, Tex., Mar. 12.—Shipment of Mexican cattle to the United States through this port has begun to boot.

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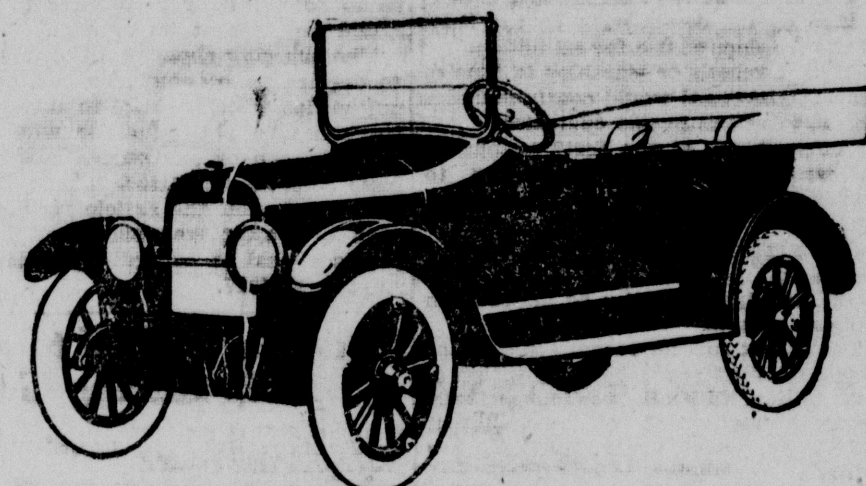
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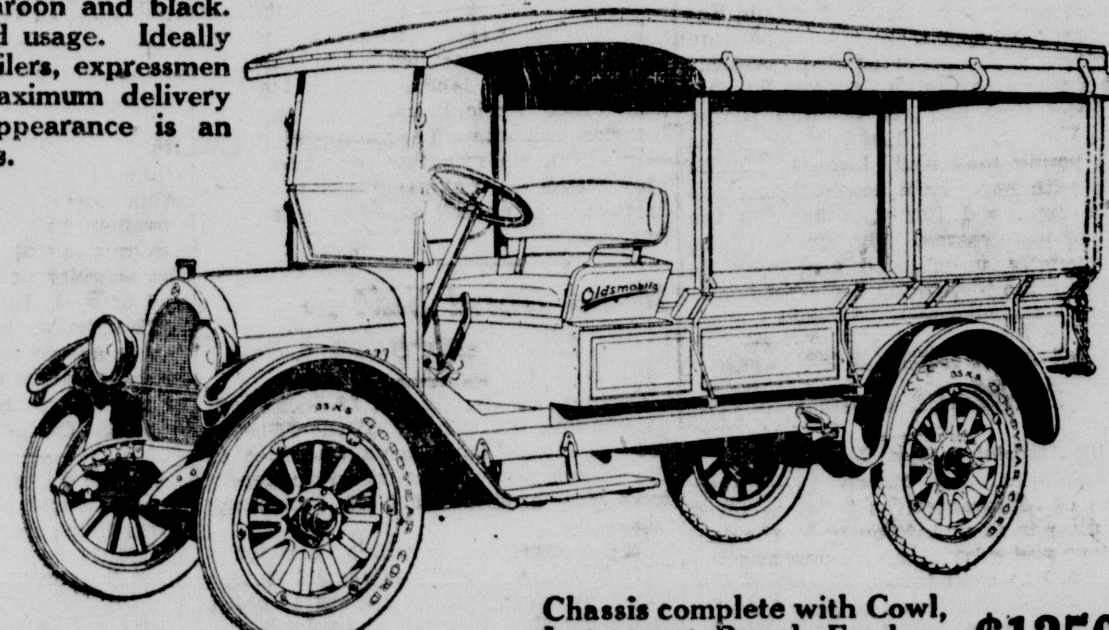
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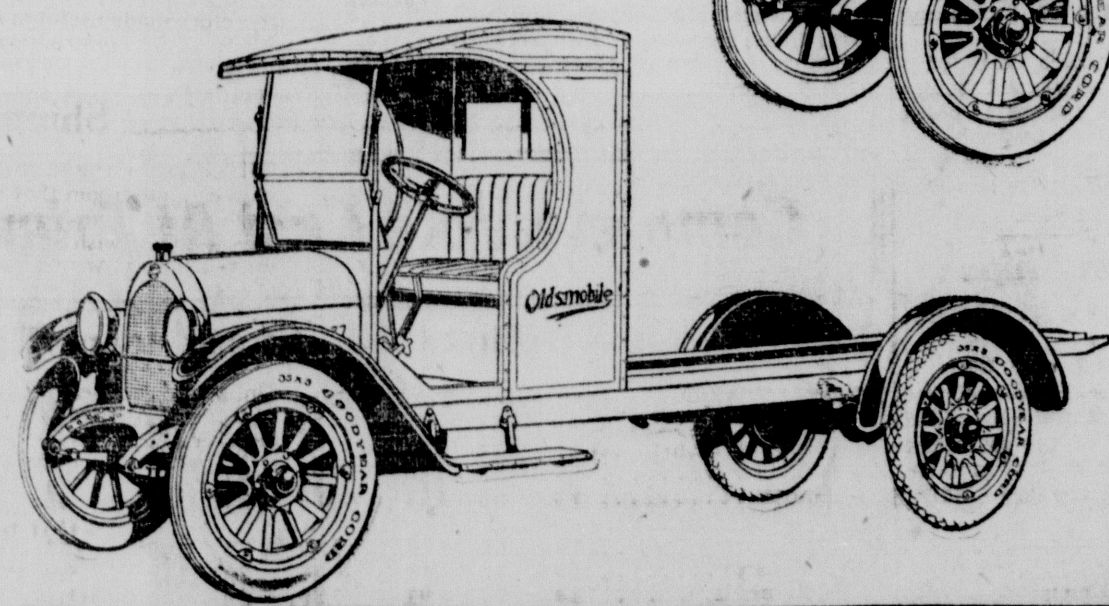
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THE FATE OF VIENNA.

Vienna, formerly one of the most brilliant capitals of Europe, is described as "a special city." It still contains more than 2,000,000 people, but it has no gaiety, no business, no governmental activity, hardly a sign of the bright and varied life that thrilled there five years ago.

The city is in a state of siege, not from hostile armies but from merciless and economic and political conditions. Food is tragically scarce and sells at ruinous prices. Gas and electric light are rationed parsimoniously. Theaters and hospitals are closed for lack of fuel.

Conditions are bad in other parts of the empire, but nowhere so hopeless. Vienna drew her former prosperity from all Austria-Hungary. She owed it to her position as the dominating center of the Dual Monarchy. She levied tribute, in wealth and prestige and population, on all the provinces and races under her rule. Now all the rest have forsaken her.

She is left, a city of 2,300,000 people, as the provincial capital of German Austria, which has a total population of only 8,000,000. German Austria cannot support such a metropolis alone. Hungary refuses her food. Bohemia refuses her fuel. All the lost members of her broken empire refuse her transportation and merchandise and credit. Political and artistic and social prestige are likewise gone.

It is an impressive and appropriate penalty. For centuries Vienna ruled many nations through craft and guilt. It was from Vienna that this great war was launched. The men responsible for it anticipated great glory for their city. With Berlin, Vienna was to rule Europe, perhaps the world. Now her glory is departed. There is "none so poor to do her reverence."

It reminds one of old Biblical judgments on wicked cities. It recalls Egypt and Babylon and Nineveh, and the Rome of the middle ages. It is a reminder of the Eternal Justice that works through history.

Next—Berlin; She, too, may be left a shattered shell.

TIMELY THRIFT.

Buy only what you need, urges the director of the council of national defense, but it now.

"There is business hesitation normal to post-war adjustments," he explains. "Prices are to some extent declining, and men hesitate to buy materials and supplies on a falling market. This means stopping work in some places and reducing the amount of work done in others. The return of soldiers in large numbers adds for the time to the problem."

It is not likely that prices in general will drop much, unless times become so bad that the bottom drops out of everything; and in that case the losses in earnings will more than wipe out the apparent saving in prices. It is easier to pay high prices when you have money than low prices when you have none. Therefore present buying, on a broad scale, as a means of booming business and reviving prosperity, is true thrift.

It is the way of social and political safety, too. Hard times, as the director suggests, breeds discontent. Unemployment is the prolific cause of bolshevism. "Buying now" will keep men busy earning a comfortable living, and therefore keep them from starting or joining red movements.

MOSES WAS SLOW.

Lieut. Col. John H. Finley, who was with the British army in Palestine as head of a Red Cross mission, went from Egypt to the Holy Land

over the same route that Moses followed.

The trip took Moses forty years, but Lieut. Finley made it in two hours and thirty-five minutes. Which goes to show that you may make more history traveling on foot, but you make more speed in an airplane.

Charles Piez, director general of the Emergency Fleet corporation, played a trump card when he told the Pacific coast shipyard strikers that he didn't have to deal with them, as the United States could now afford to shut the plants down, the war being over. So the strike is off—much to the relief of everyone who does not want to see the unemployment situation rendered worse.

South Dakota's legislature has passed not only an anti-red flag law, but also a law making Memorial day a state holiday, on which it will be unlawful to hold theatrical performances, moving picture shows, circuses, ball games, horse racing, or other games or sports for the amusement of the public.

It must be the original pessimist who will remind us that soon will come the season when if there is but one fly in the bedroom in the early morning he will perch on your nose and perform his morning calisthenics.

If it wasn't for the fiction magazines, how would we have ever found out that a morning coat is intended to be worn in the afternoon.

His honey is delicious and his industry is commendable, but he deserves greater respect for the weapon mounted aft.

If you would have friends, be a friend, and if you would be happy, sow happiness.

GENERAL ELECTION. ORDINANCE NO. 174.

An Ordinance designating the voting places for the General Election for the purpose of voting for candidates for the election of Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Dixon at the General Municipal Election, to be held April 15th, A. D. 1919, appointing the Judges and Clerks thereof and directing that notices of such election be given as required by law.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS: Section 1.—The City Clerk of said City of Dixon is hereby directed and authorized to publish in The Evening Telegraph, a newspaper published in said City, a notice as required by law of the general election to be held on Tuesday the 15th day of April, A. D. 1919, for the purpose of voting for Candidates for the election for Mayor, Commissioners and Police Magistrate of the City of Dixon.

Sec. 2.—The following places in said City are hereby named and designated by the said Council as voting places in which said election shall be held, to-wit:—

First Ward Voting Place—Bishop Hotel, 94-98 Ottawa Ave.

Second Ward Voting Place—City Hall, Second St.

Third Ward Voting Place—Public Supply Co., 624 Depot Ave.

Fourth Ward Voting Place—Finkler's Restaurant, 210 College Ave.

Fifth Ward Voting Place—Anderson's Shop, East Fellows St.

Sec. 3.—Said Council hereby appoints the following named persons as Judges and clerks:

First Ward Judges—Ben Snyder, Chas. Leake, A. W. Leland. Clerks—J. M. Tidball, George Hawley, George Eichenberg.

Second Ward Judges—Clifford Gray, Chas. Mulkins, U. N. McKenney. Clerks—Richard C. Bovey, W. E. Worthington, A. E. Simonson.

Third Ward Judges—Edward Zoeller, Harry Stephan, John P. McIntyre. Clerks—Clarence G. Preston, Elmer Jones, Henry Wenger.

Fourth Ward Judges—George Talcott, Jas. H. Clark, C. C. Smith. Clerks—Henry Leydig, A. E. Sinclair, Wm. Filson.

Fifth Ward Judges—Herbert W. Harms, Glenn F. Coe, John M. Sterling. Clerks—Jos. McCleary, Stuart Nettz, Frank Sproul.

Sec. 4.—The Judges and Clerks of the election aforesaid shall be allowed and paid for their services as such, the sum of Three Dollars per day, unless otherwise provided by law, and the sum of Five Dollars shall be allowed and paid as rental for each voting place in which such election shall be held.

Sec. 5.—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed this 12th day of March, A. D. 1919.

Approved by me this 12th day of March, A. D. 1919.

HENRY SCHMIDT, Mayor.

Attest: BLAKE GROVER, City Clerk.

OHIO

Mrs. W. M. Burke and son, Dan, visited in Neponset last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. LaFranier.

Henry Kramer has opened a meat market in the Burnham building and on Saturday, the opening day, each person who visited the shop was presented with a carnation as a souvenir.

A regular meeting of Friendship Chapter No. 376, O. E. S., was held last Friday evening. After conferring the degrees upon a candidate, a delicious banquet was served to the members of the chapter, the members of Ohio Lodge No. 814 A. F. & A. M., and a number of invited guests.

Virgil Underline, who recently received his discharge from army service, will again take charge of his meat market, which was conducted

ABE MARTIN



"I don't know so much about fat men, but I know nobody ever went wild over a good man," said Miss Myrt Pash, today. There's still a few folks travelin' that ask if th' empty seat next t' you is occupied.

by Henry Kramer during his absence. W. M. Burke has sold his entire line of dry goods to an Ottawa firm and the goods were shipped to that place Monday. Mr. Burke will continue to handle a full line of groceries.

Miss Clara Klapprodt, who has been ill for several days, is again able to perform her duties as principal of the Ohio high school.

Carl Michelson, who is a patient in the Spring Valley hospital, where he submitted recently to an operation for appendicitis, is reported to be improving.

A. D. Neis, who for several months has been stationed at Camp Sheridan, Ala., in the Medical department of the army, has been released from service and will again assume charge of his drug store at Manlius.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Smith entertained a number of relatives at dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Smith's brother, George Vickrey, who has spent the winter here and expects to leave Wednesday for his home in Fairbanks, Alaska.

W. M. Burke and Virgil Underline transacted business in Ottawa Monday.

Mrs. George Baker, of Geneseo, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Anna Spencer.

POLO

Thomas McMahan was a Dixon visitor Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Gilbert Bellows, of Milledgeville, is seriously ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Bellows is a sister of Mrs. Terrence Harper, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Herrick, of Rockford, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Herrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Beard.

Mrs. Alma Seyfarth of Dixon, spent last week Saturday here with her sister, Mrs. Malissa Shaw and family.

Richard Waterbury is visiting his brother, Charles Waterbury, the past few days.

LT. Elsworth Reynolds, of Rockford, spent the week-end here in the James Hawkins' home.

Rev. and Mrs. Mark Getzendanner and son, Mark, Jr., of Princeton came last Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Getzendanner, and will stay until the last of this week.

Miss Emma McCann, who has been visiting relatives in Milledgeville and Sterling the past six weeks, returned home Saturday morning.

George Stauffer has sold his residence property to Mrs. Clara Willet.

Monroe Wasser, of St. Louis, Miss-

souri, has been visiting with relatives here since last week Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McLain, of Princeton came recently and will now have charge of the Peek Orphanage southeast of Polo.

James Hemphill has sold his residence property to Dr. Curtis Powell and will give possession soon.

John Smith went to Dixon Saturday evening on business.

The Lutheran Missionary society held their meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Miller, with Mrs. Frank Hammer as leader. The subject was "Among Negro Laborers." Mesdames John Myers, Ross Hedrick and Harry Davis each gave a reading on the subject, which was especially fine. The hostesses were Mrs. G. W. Miller, Mrs. August Dorman and Mrs. Samuel Hays.

About 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon fire was discovered in the roof of the Catholic parsonage. It is thought it caught from a spark from the chimney. It was soon extinguished with but little damage.

Mrs. Frank Dennis is again quite seriously ill at her home west of Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hay and three children, of Oregon, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hay's sister, Mrs. George Duffy.

Mrs. Walter Maxey, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to her home in Chicago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fager moved recently on the John Lampin farm near Dixon.

J. W.

NACHUSA

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ellen Lease.

Next Sunday evening, March 16th, Mr. Anderson, of Chicago, National Secretary of the Luther League, will address the league here. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present at the service.

Over two-hundred were present at the Community social held in honor of the returned soldiers, of whom there are four. It was a very pleasant and enjoyable affair of last Friday evening, with a program given, consisting of recitations, an address by Rev. Mr. McCulloch, and patriotic music. Delicious refreshments were served later. The boys so honored were Will Johnson, Charles Winter, Clarence Bothe, and Louis Manachia.

The choir will meet Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Emmert.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Weigle returned home last Friday from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Ash, of Rockford.

Mrs. George Weidman, Mrs. Huyett, and Mrs. I. M. Hart were passengers to Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Welty and daughter, Miss Frances, motored to Dixon Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Plantz and daughter, Lucille, motored to Dixon Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Brown, of Franklin Grove, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Parker, Friday.

The Volunteers Sunday school class will meet with Herbert Wadsworth on Thursday evening.

The Misses Uhl have sold their Dixon property and last week moved back to Nachusa.

Mrs. Fanny Bossemeyer, a guest of the Misses Uhl, returned to her home Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Crawford was among the number of ladies entertained by Mrs. W. C. Durkes of Dixon Friday afternoon.

Arthur Meppin, of Grand Meadows, Minn., was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Roy Wadsworth on Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. N. King very delightfully entertained members of the church council and their wives Tuesday.

STATE WILL HAVE 14 MILLIONS FOR ROADS

(Continued from page 1.)

700 Miles Planned

Present plans of the highway department call for construction this year of seven hundred miles of hard surface road of brick, concrete or bituminous macadam, at an average of fifteen feet in width.

Highways on which work will begin first are designated as follows:

Dixie—from Chicago to Danville. Lincoln—from Chicago to Fulton on the Iowa line, Ivy Trail—from Chicago to East St. Louis, via Peoria and Springfield.

Cumberland—from East St. Louis to Marshall in Clark county, via Effingham and Vandalia.

The fight of organized labor to accomplish the enactment of legislation to prevent courts from issuing injunctions in labor disputes, except where "irreparable loss" would result, was to begin at a hearing before the house judiciary committee late today.

Anti-Injunction Hearing Discussion centers around the measure of Representative R. G. Soderstrom of Streator, legislative leader of the anti-injunction movement, which is carried over from the last session. John H. Walker, president of the Illinois federation of labor, will defend the Soderstrom bill and the opposition probably will be led by Dudley Taylor of Chicago.

At a public meeting tonight, Representative Gregory's bill appropriating \$150,000 for the elimination of tuberculosis in cattle will be up or consideration.

The house civil service committee today discussed Representative Soderstrom's bill to repeal the state civil service act.

Representatives of community high school districts organized under the act recently declared unconstitutional by the supreme court, are here today in the interests of measures to validate the districts and to supersede the act knocked out. Thirty-two districts were

created under the community high school law, according to the superintendent of public instruction, Francis G. Blair, and about 100 were ready to organize.

Much Illinois Land Suitable for Trees

Springfield, Ill., March 12.—There are approximately six million acres of land in the state better fitted for the growth of trees than for any other agricultural use, according to the director of the soil of Illinois.

The director says that a large part of this land is in the southern part of that state, adding that much of it has been cleared of trees and brought

under the plow with no great profit. A considerable part of it has been exhausted for general agriculture and abandoned and now is growing up with brush and worthless trees, he says.

The department of legislature education, through its natural history survey division, is preparing a careful survey not only of existing forests, but of all land especially adapted to forest culture.

Mrs. M. N. Stiff and little daughter, Madeline Rachel, are here from Chicago visiting Mrs. Stiff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Knapp and other relatives.

Mrs. Jesse Gardner, who has been quite ill, is now much improved in health.

Going Down

We were the last to raise our prices during the war, and are the first to keep crowding them down.

All 25c graniteware and tinware, now each 20c, including 10 qt. pails; 8-hole gets.

Wall paper, ceiling and border for rm 12x16, complete	\$1.50	No. 2 cans pork and beans	10c
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Best shelled pop corn, 1 lb.	12c	Wilson's Certified brand	12 1/2c
Borden's or Dundee milk, 2 for	27c	Pork and beans, none better	12c
Flat can salmon, 2 for	27c	Magnolia sweet milk	18c
Searchlight or Bluetip matches	5c	No. 3 cans best tomatoes	18c
Sal soda, 2 lbs. for	10c	Best 25c box paper, special	19c
Safety matches, 12 boxes	10c	Best qual. envelopes, pr. 100	19c
Fresh roasted peanuts, qt.	10c	Nice big ripe bananas, doz.	15c
		Nice sweet oranges, 6 for	15c

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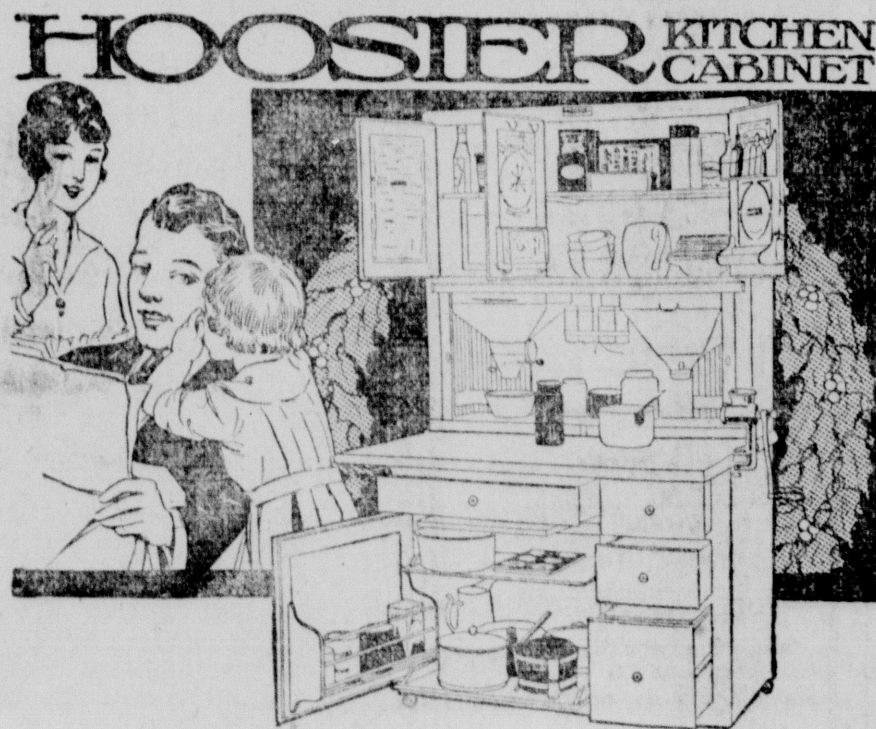
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FEED GERMANY, HALT ANARCHY, LANSING URGES

Enemy Must Get Much Raw Material If She Settles Indemnities.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, Tuesday, March 11.—(Delayed)—“We have reached a crisis in the affairs of the world,” said Secretary of State Robert Lansing at a banquet given tonight by the inter-allied press club in honor of the American peace commissioners. Mr. Lansing was emphatic in his statement that the allies must feed Germany and give the Germans opportunity to sell their products in the foreign markets if the danger of bolshevism is to be averted.

He pointed out that it was not through pity for Germany, but to the allies' own advantage to see that Germany was prevented in the former German empire. Mr. Lansing said in part: “Germany has suffered bitterly, is suffering bitterly, and Germany is entitled to suffer for what she has done. Today starvation and want are the portions of the German people. Violence and murder stalk through the streets of their great cities. Political institutions enterprises, and the very structure of society are tottering. It is the price of their own evil doing, the just retribution of their crimes.”

“We may be disposed to pity these innocent among the Germans but pity is almost dried up when we consider what France and other nations have had to suffer from the invading armies of the Teutons.”

Must Forget Hatred
“And now that the great conflict is ended and the mighty war engine of Prussia is crushed we have new problems to solve new dangers to overcome East of the Rhine there are famine and idleness, want and misery. Political chaos and outlawry have supplanted the highly organized government of imperial Germany. Over the ruins of this once great empire the flames are sweeping westward. It is no time to allow sentiments of vengeance and hatred to stand in the way of checking this conflagration which will soon be at the German borders and threatening other lands. We must change the conditions on which social unrest feeds, and strive to restore Germany to a normal, though it be a weakened social order. Two words tell the story—food and peace. To make Germany capable of resisting anarchy and the hideous despotism of the Red Terror, Germany must be allowed to purchase food and to earn that food and these must be restored by a treaty of peace. It is not for the German people that this must be done and be done without delay, but because we, the victors in this war, will be the chief sufferers if it is not done.”

STATE NEGLECTS INSTITUTIONS IS DEVINE'S CHARGE
Desire to Save Money is for Purpose of Making Showing, He Says.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Springfield, Ill., March 12.—By strident party vote of 80 to 0 the house today passed, without the emergency clause, the deficiency appropriation bill of Senator Curtis carrying \$1,610,000 for penal and charitable institutions. Democrats declined to vote, but accepted the opportunity to engage in a sharp partisan debate in which the administration budget system was grilled and Governor Lowden and Finance Director Wright were criticized.

Representative John P. Devine of Dixon, Democrat, charged the administration with “deliberately refusing to make appropriations necessary to carry on the charitable and penal institutions for the biennium.” He said the failure was due to the desire to “make a good financial showing.”

Devine declared a movement was on foot “to divorce the legislature from any control or inspection of state institutions.”

Lowden Criticized
Minority leader Igoe referred to the appearance of Governor Lowden, early in the session, when the budget was under discussion and added: “At no time in the history of Illinois has the governor had the nerve or the gall to come before the assembly and say exactly how much money he wanted to run the government of the state, and by his representatives, admits that he has been playing with the wards of the state a showing.”

Mr. Igoe demanded to know what interest had accrued from money in the state treasury as provided in his resolution awaiting house action.

Explaining his demand, Igoe stated that he was informed the daily average balance in the state treasury was \$15,000,000 and that only \$300,000 in interest had been turned back. At two per cent, he said, the interest for the biennium on fifteen million dollars would be \$600,000.

Difficulties Named
“What I want to know,” Igoe declared, “is who gets the other \$300,000.” In a defense of the administration, Majority Leader Shurtliff called attention to the difficulties under which Governor Lowden and the finance department had been working due to the war.

Senator John Dailey of Peoria was elected president of the joint investigating committee to inquire into high prices on building materials. Representative Garesche was made vice president and Representative Holaday secretary. The members conferred with Governor Lowden today.

Senator Cliffe's re-apportionment bill proposing two new congressional districts was not introduced today because of differences as to what the Cook county district should include.

Charles Rabbitt of Amboy was a visitor in Dixon today.

Society

GRACE MISSIONARY
Mrs. Walter Fuls and Miss Grace Johnson shared the duties of hostess at the meeting of the Grace Missionary Society meeting, held yesterday at the home of Mrs. Fuls. Mrs. Philip Miller, the president, presided and had charge of the devotional service. The lesson study thoughts were developed by Mrs. I. B. Graybill. Interesting leaflets were read by Mrs. Swartz and Mrs. O. E. Strock. A piano duet, furnished by Mrs. Strock and Miss LaFerne Richardson was a very enjoyable number of the program. Mrs. George Webster was named as delegate to the Woman's Missionary convention to be held at Aurora in May and the president, Mrs. Miller, was named as an alternate. Nineteen calls were made by the visiting committee of the society during the past month, according to the report of its members, Mrs. Garrison and Mrs. Carbaugh. After the business session delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. There were present twenty-five members and fourteen guests, an exceptionally good attendance.

LE CERCLE FRANCAIS
Le Cercle Francais will have as the auspicious opening of its meetings a banquet to be served this evening at 7:30 at the Nachusa Tavern. The French club included in its membership between thirty and forty of the pupils of Mme. W. G. Kent and the entire speech at the banquet will be in French. Toasts are to be given in that language; in fact each one in the club is to have some part in speech or song. One of the particularly interesting features anticipated is a French sketch to be given by the Misses Louise Murphy and Francis Murphy, two of the youngest pupils of Mme. Kent.

ELKS' CHILDREN'S PARTY
The annual children's party given for the children of members of the Dixon lodge of Elks will be held on Friday evening, March 21. Plans for this entertainment are now being arranged and committees will be announced in a few days. A short program will be enjoyed during the evening, to be followed by dancing. The house committee will serve light refreshments.

HOME FROM MADISON
Glenn White, who has been taking a three months' course in agriculture at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, is expected home Thursday evening to visit briefly with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White, of Lincoln Way, before taking up his duties as an assistant on the Ernest Buchanan farm near Amboy. Mr. White will continue his studies at Madison next winter.

FOR ENSIGN KURTZROCK
An informal dancing party was given at Armory Hall Monday evening in honor of Ensign Edward Kurtzrock, who, after a brief visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kurtzrock, returned to New York yesterday morning. Fifty young people enjoyed the happy occasion, for which the music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rice. Refreshments of frappe and wafers were enjoyed during the evening.

BUSY AT CHURCH
A regular spring house cleaning was given yesterday by the members of the Prairieville Social Circle to the Prairieville church, so that the church last night be all spick and span in keeping with the new pulpit platform which has recently been built through the ladies' efforts. The Sunday services at the church will show a marked improvement in the church interior.

FOR FRENCH ORPHANS
The Live Wire class of the Prairieville church on last Saturday held a very successful sale in Sterling, netting \$11.90, to be devoted to the fund for the care of a French orphan. The orphan is, according to specifications from the society, a little girl between the ages of four and six years. The first installment for her keep, \$9.00, has been met.

TO ENTERTAIN CIRCLE
Mrs. Frank Bender will entertain the members of G. A. R. Circle Friday afternoon at a social tea. The members are to be engaged in sewing for the sale which is to be held the last week in March.

SAILED TODAY
Wilson White, in the navy, and a member of the crew of the U. S. S. Scranton, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White, from Hoboken, that the vessel would start today on another trip across.

LUTHER LEAGUE
A meeting of the Luther League was held last evening at the German Lutheran church for the purpose of studying the life of Luther. On next Thursday evening the young ladies of the League will meet at the church to continue their sewing for the annual sale.

IN NEW YORK CITY
Miss Irma Drew of this city, who is at present in the government ser-

Better Than Pills For Liver Ills.

You can't feel so good but what **NR** will make you feel better.

Get a 25c. Box.

Nature's Remedy

Rowland Bros. Corner Drug Store

Activities at the Dixon Assn.



Of Interest to all Its Friends

TRAVELERS WILL PLAY Y. M. C. A. TEAM SATURDAY.

The United Commercial Travelers of this city have developed some very good bowling talent during the winter months and believe that they have attained the height of perfection. Captain L. J. Bertoli who leads the salesmen, has hurled an open deft at the winners of the last all star tournament at the Y. M. C. A. The latter team has partially disbanded and some of the stars have ceased bowling for the season. However, they have been successful in gathering together a representative five, the challenge has been accepted. The teams will clash at the Y. M. C. A. alleys Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

STANDING OF TEAMS IN NEW BOWLING TOURNEY.

	W.	L.	Per.
Shaulis	3	0	.1000
Fiala	2	1	.667
McGraham	2	1	.667
Preston	2	1	.667
Lumsden	1	2	.333
Slothower	1	2	.333
Davies	1	2	.333
W. Hall	0	3	.000

LAST NIGHT'S GAMES PROVED OF INTEREST.

Last night's games in the tourney were of great interest to players and fans, the scores being:

First Game—

vice at Washington, spent the weekend a week ago with his brother, Ensign Drew, in New York City.

SUNDAY LUNCHEON

Miss Emma Schumm entertained a number of girl friends at a luncheon at her home Sunday afternoon. Present were the Misses Viola Fleming, Olive Bender, Hazel Green, Seville Crawford, Florence Watts, Anna Jensen and Mrs. Ralph Lievan. The same group of girls have had similar affairs for the past several weeks at the homes of Miss Watts, Miss Bender and Miss Crawford.

TO GIVE DINNER

Miss Gertrude Castle will entertain with a dinner this evening the Misses Ida Ware, Alma Moeller, Elizabeth Buckaloo, Helen Gorham and Ruby Schrock.

SCRAMBLE DINNER

Miss Olive Kerz will entertain tomorrow evening at a scramble dinner the present and past members of the A. L. Geisenheimer force.

FROM HOT SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Alexander returned Monday night from Hot Springs, where they have been for several weeks.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our sincere appreciation of the beautiful flowers sent in memory of our loved one; also to thank the members of Friendship lodge and Dixon Commandery and all who assisted us in any way in our time of sorrow.—Mrs. S. W. Youngman and family.

CASH MARKET AND GROCERY opened Wednesday nights. Phone 798 W. W. TESCHENDORFF.

Rev. Olin Shaw, of Milledgeville, was here Monday evening on his way to Des Moines, Ia., to look after farm interests. The farm is rented by Mr. Moore, whose wife was formerly Miss Stoner of this city.

Miss Elizabeth Morris of Amboy was a caller in Dixon yesterday.

GREEN STOCKINGS

TO BE GIVEN BY

SENIOR CLASS

--- of ---

N. D. H. S.

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DIXON OPERA HOUSE

FRIDAY, MARCH 14 8:15 P. M.

A Famous Play by Famous Players.

Admission 40c Reserved Seats 10c Extra

Reserved Seats now on sale at
Todd's Hat Store

GREEN STOCKINGS

CAST FOR SENIORS' PLAY IS ANNOUNCED

North Dixon High School
Students Will Present
“Green Stockings.”

The announcement of the cast of characters for the production of the comedy “Green Stockings,” by the Seniors of the North Dixon high school at the opera house Friday evening, adds greatly to the interest which has been shown in the forthcoming play, for the names of the young people who will take part are promises of a good production. The cast is:

Mrs. Rockingham (Madge).....	Katherine Morris
Lady Trenchard (Evelyn).....	Josephine Watts
Mrs. Chisolm Faraday.....	Arlene Schrock
Martin (the family servant).....	Theodore Hintz
Phyllis Faraday.....	Maritella Andrews
Robert Taylor.....	Sidney Eichler
William Faraday (the father).....	Cedric Fulton
Admiral Grice (retired).....	Earl Fruin
Henry Steele.....	Charles Ramsey
Celia Faraday.....	Molloy Duffy
Col. James Nugent Vavasour.....	Charles Anderson

The directors of the performance are Miss Beatrice Howell and Miss Gladys E. Gaylord, and the business staff is: Business Manager..... Sidney Eichler Advertising..... Earl Fruin Music..... Mark Smith Properties..... Helen Zuhl The settings and costumes to be used at the performance have been donated by the business men of the city.

Personal

No more dandruff if you rub Parisian Sage on the scalp two or three times a week. Stops all irritation and makes the hair thick and glossy. Rowland Bros. guarantee it.

The W. W. W. G. of the Baptist church will give a St. Patrick's tea in the parlors of the church on Saturday, March 15th, beginning at 2:30 P. M. 6013

Borden's Peerless milk, 14c can; eating potatoes, \$1.25 bushel; California oranges, 35c doz.; good pork and beans, 15c can; good bacon, 35c pound; 10 lbs. of best granulated sugar for 95c; self-rising pancake flour, 15c package or 2 for 25c; soap, 6c bar; matches, 6c box; good Luck butterine, 36c lb.; No. 3 can tomatoes, 18c; No. 2 can tomatoes, 14c. We pay highest market price for fresh eggs. We deliver free. Tetrick's grocery. Phone 109. 59-12

Headquarters for onion sets, bulk garden seeds and strawberry plants. Bowser Fruit Co. 6013

That cough or cold in the head can be ended easily by Hyomei. No stomach dosing. Breathe it through the nose and mouth. Money back if it fails. Rowland Bros.

A PRODUCTION THE WHOLE WORLD IS WAITING TO SEE

BIRTH - OF A - RACE

Pulsating With Life
Throbbing With Truth
The Spectacle Superb
Direct from Record Run at Blackstone Theater,
Chicago

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA TWICE DAILY--2:15, 8:15

NIGHTS	MATINEES
25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 Plus War Tax Seat Sale Thursday	25c, and 50c Plus War Tax Seat Sale Thursday

DIXON OPERA HOUSE 2 DAYS TUESDAY Mch. 18-19th

Read The Telegraph Want Ads

LOOK INSIDE

Durability is the first essential in clothes for boys, and one suit will not outwear another unless there's a reason.

There is a reason in

STEEL FIBER NIKS SUITS

Turn them inside out and note the quilted seat and knees :



Boys' Waists 69c Special

New Spring Caps 75c
\$1.00 and \$1.25

Boy's Shoes that Give
Service

The new Spring goods are here--
styled to suit the boys--wearing
qualities to please the mother--
lively patterns. :

\$7.50 \$10 \$12 \$15 \$20

Boynton-Richards Co.
“The Standardized Store”

Telegraph Want Ads

—FOR 25 WORDS—

One Time	\$.25
(1c for each additional word)	
Three Times50
(2c for each additional word)	
Six Times (one week)75
(3c for each additional word)	
Twelve Times (two weeks)	\$1.25
(5c for each additional word)	
Twenty-six Times (one month)	\$2.25
(9c for each additional word)	
Reading Notices, per line10
Reading Notices in City in Brief, per line15

WANTED

WANTED—We secure a large contract for furs, 5,000 skunks and 25,000 muskrats, also a quantity of all kinds of furs of this sector. In order to fill this contract, we will pay highest prices for all your furs. Do not miss this opportunity and give us a trial. We also handle all kinds of junk and hides. Snow & Weinman, River St., Dixon, Ill. Phone 81.

WANTED—Place in country or town to assist with housework by good reliable girl. Address A. E., care this office. 58-18*

WANTED—\$500 for one year at six per cent interest. No commission. No agents. Best security. Address "Y" care this office. 58-11*

WANTED—GOOD PIANO PLAYER and clerk can find a permanent position and good salary at Kramer's 5, 10 and 25c store. 58-12

WANTED—To rent piano; will pay \$1 month for its use. Address Z, care Telegraph. 58-13

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girls; steady employment, good working conditions and good wages. Apply at once. Borden's Condensed Milk Co. 267-1f

WANTED—An experienced man to work on farm. Enquire at Oddy's Feed Barn. 59-13*

WANTED—Second girl. Apply to Mrs. W. J. McAlpine, 204 Ottawa ave. 15-1f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A No. 1 520-acre stock and grain farm with two sets of improvements in good locality 3 miles from town, listed at a sacrifice price to produce immediate results. This is one of the best stock farms in eastern Iowa and a money-maker at a bargain price if sold at once. Price \$140 or \$150 per acre with horses, harness, tools, etc. E. Gilmore, Monmouth, Iowa. 54-112

FOR SALE—Last call on harness. two sets 1 1/2 in. slip tug at \$60.00; one set 1 1/2 in. slip tug at \$58.00; one set 1 1/2 slip tug at \$57.00; three sets 1 1/2 in. L. H. tug at \$55.00; one set 1 1/2 in. L. H. no pads at \$50.00; three sets 1 1/2 in. farm harness at \$48.00, \$52.00 and \$53.00; 10 sets single harness, from \$16.00 to \$25.00 each. No better values offered for 1919. At W. F. Graves', Amboy, Ill. 55-16

FOR SALE—Single Combed Rhode Island Red eggs from high scoring pen, that contains pullets which score 94 1/2 and 96; also had the first prize pullet in a class of 16 at the Ashton poultry show, in this pen \$3.50 for 15. Can fill orders at once. Special price on 100 eggs. Call B. G. Yonkerich, Ashton, Ill., or phone X223, Dixon, Ill. 55-1f

FOR SALE—A real 3-year-old black draft colt. A span of mules at a bargain, \$125 for pair, well broke, safe for anybody. 2 fine heifers. J. C. Becker, Route 2, Sterling, Ill. 58-112*

FOR SALE—Push your wheat and oat crop by using the Towers Western mulcher and clod masher to prepare your seed bed. Sold by W. F. Graves, Amboy, Ill. 55-16

FOR SALE—Alsike Clover Seed. I am looking orders. Have a choice lot of Alsike Clover for spring delivery. Polo phone 812R2. Henry Stahlner, Polo, Ill. 60-124*

FOR SALE—Alsike Clover seed. Polo Mutual phone or Grand Depot phone. Irvin Trump, Polo, Ill. R3. 53-118*

FOR SALE—New Waterloo Boy tractor, run less than 2 hours. A bargain if taken at once. Phone X827. 56-123*

FOR SALE—A carload of clover seed at \$20 per bushel. Send for sample. DeLong Bros., Sadorus, Ill. 56-110

PUBLIC SALE—Howard Irvin & Son, Polo, will hold a public sale on March 15 of Aberdeen-Angus cattle and Duroc bred sows. 40-1

FOR SALE—COMBINATION SALE at Spencer's Feed Shed, Amboy, Ill. Saturday, March 15th, commencing at 1 o'clock. 56-15

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, pure bred Single Comb R. I. Reds, \$4.50 per hundred or \$1.00 for 15. Phone 32310 Richard Meeks. 60-15

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house; large barn; 2 hen houses, hog house and other outbuildings with three acres of land. Fruit, plenty of shade, or a four room cottage with good cellar, electric light, good well, cistern and some outbuildings and land as above. 1106 Walnut Ave. Phone Y 757. 59-16*

FOR SALE—One black team, 5 and 8 years old, weighs 3,200 lbs., are sound. Edward Mensch, Route 1, Phone 59130. 58-13*

FOR SALE—Pony outfit, consisting of pony, harness, saddle and buggy; all in good condition. Pony guaranteed gentle. Address Box 65, Franklin Grove, Ill. R. F. D. 5816*

FOR SALE—One 8-foot Tandem disc, tongue truck, complete, in good condition. Can be bought cheap. Dixon Lumber & Fuel Co. 58-13

FOR SALE OR RENT—House of six rooms. Enquire at Keed's Furniture Store, 112 E. First St. 58-12

FOR SALE—Live fish at the market at 418 River St. Phone Y694. 59-1f

FOUND

FOUND—Auto license number 109676. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for ad. 58-11

LOST

LOST—Lady's pocket book containing over \$7 and receipts with owner's name. Reward if returned to Mrs. John Herman, 320 S. Galena, phone Y1142. 58-13*

LOST—Purse containing about 90 cents in change and check made out to and endorsed by owner; also some keys. Reward if left at this office. Mrs. Maude Cheney. 59-13

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6-room cottage, city water, gas and lights. Located cor. College and 8th St. Inquire of Mrs. Mary Carney, 703 Highland Ave. 60-1*

FOR RENT—Store and fixtures in a small town. Rent cheap. Address N. P., care Telegraph. 19-1f

FOR RENT—30 acres of pasture land. Telephone 395-3 rings, Amboy, Ill. 58-16

OFFICIAL PUBLICATIONS

TAX NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that at a tax sale held at Dixon, in Lee county, Illinois, on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1917, for taxes of the year A. D. 1916, H. A. Roe purchased the following described real estate, to-wit:
All of Lot 66 of Parson's Industrial Addition to Dixon, Lee county, Ill., taxed in the name of Patrick Finnigan, and that time of redemption from said sale will expire on 11th June, A. D. 1919.
H. A. ROE.
Mar. 7-14-21

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.
Under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 188, Series of 1919.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons interested, that the Council of the City of Dixon, a municipal corporation, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, has by Local Improvement Ordinance No. 188, Series of 1919, passed by the Council of said City of Dixon on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1919, and approved by the Mayor of said City of Dixon on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1919, provided for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer with manholes, catch basins and house connection laterals in First Street in said City of Dixon, Illinois, from the manhole heretofore constructed at the intersection of said First Street and College Avenue, westerly parallel to the center line of

said street to the center line of Van Buren Avenue, and from the manhole to be constructed in the intersection of said First Street and Van Buren Avenue, westerly to a point one hundred and thirty (130) feet from said Van Buren Avenue.

The said manholes are to be constructed along the line of the sewer aforesaid, and located as follows:

One at a point 330 feet West of College Avenue;

One at the center line of Van Buren Avenue;

One at a point 130 feet West of Van Buren Avenue.

The said catch basins shall be located as follows:

One at the South curb line of First Street 330 feet West of College Avenue;

One at the North curb line of First Street 330 feet West of College Avenue;

One at the Southwest corner of the intersection of First Street and Van Buren Avenue;

One at the Southeast corner of the intersection of First Street and Van Buren Avenue; and

One at the Northeast corner of the intersection of First Street and Van Buren Avenue.

That said Ordinance is now on file in the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon, Illinois; that application has been made to the County Clerk of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to benefits as provided by law and said Ordinance; that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said Court, and that the final hearing thereon will be had before said Court in the County Court Room in the Court House, in the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1919, or as soon thereafter as the business of said Court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said Assessment in said Court, before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said Assessment is payable in nine annual installments and all installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, according to law, until paid.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1919.

ROBERT H. SCOTT,
Commissioner.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of George E. Hedges, deceased.

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Dated this 4th day of March, A. D. 1919.

ELMIRA HEDGES,
Administratrix.

HENRY C. WARNER,
Attorney.

Mar. 5-12-19

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Charles McCorry, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Charles McCorry, late of the county of Lee, and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Lee county, at the court house in Dixon, at the May term, on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

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Third Street, East Fourth Street and East Sixth Street, in the City of Dixon, Illinois. The said cement concrete curbing is to be constructed where good and sufficient curbs are not already built upon said Avenues and upon East Fourth Street and East Sixth Street, upon and along the curb lines thereof, heretofore established, as follows:—

On Crawford Avenue from East Second Street to East Third Street and from East Third Street to East Fourth Street at twenty (20) feet from and parallel to the center line of said Avenue, and upon each side thereof; on Crawford Avenue from East Fourth Street to East Fifth Street, from East Fifth Street to East Sixth Street and from East Sixth Street to East Seventh Street at sixteen (16) feet from and parallel to the center line of said Avenue, and upon each side thereof; on Dixon Avenue from East Second Street to East Third Street from East Third Street to East Fourth Street at fourteen (14) feet from and parallel to the center line of said Avenue, and upon each side thereof; on Dement Avenue from East Second Street to East Third Street and from East Third Street to East Fourth Street at fourteen (14) feet from and parallel to the center line of said Avenue, and upon each side thereof; on East Fifth Street at eighteen (18) feet from and parallel to said center line, and upon each side thereof; on East Fourth Street from Dement Avenue to Dixon Avenue and from Dixon Avenue to Crawford Avenue at fourteen (14) feet from and parallel to the center line of said Street, and upon each side thereof; and on East Sixth Street from Ottawa Avenue to Crawford Avenue at fourteen (14) feet from and parallel to the center line of said street, and upon each side thereof.

The said curbing is to be extended at all street and avenue intersections and turned with a curve of suitable radius to connect with curbs there constructed, or to be constructed.

That said Catch Basins (without settling space and traps) are to be constructed of standard pattern with cast iron grate and curb box of style, size, quality and weight as those used for similar purposes in the City of Dixon during the year 1915.

Said catch basins are to be located as follows:

One at the Southwest corner of the intersection of East Second Street and Crawford Avenue;

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One at the Northeast corner of the intersection of East Fifth Street and Crawford Avenue;

That catch basins (with traps to manholes) are to be constructed which will discharge into the sewer in Dixon Avenue and are to be constructed as other catch basins herein provided, except that the bottom shall be six (6) feet below the top

of the curb and without cement foundation slab.

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That said cement concrete roadway is to be extended laterally at street and avenue intersections to connect with the pavement upon such streets and avenues heretofore constructed, or to be constructed.

That the said cement concrete driveways are to be constructed and located at the entrance point to each lot, tract or piece of land adjoining the improvement.

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That the said cement concrete driveways are to be constructed and located at the entrance point to each lot, tract or piece of land adjoining the improvement.

That said Ordinance is now on file in the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon, Illinois; that application has been made to the County Clerk of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to benefits as provided by law and said Ordinance; that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said Court, and that the final hearing thereon will be had before said Court in the County Court Room in the Court House,

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Said assessment is payable in ten annual installments and all installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, according to law, until paid.

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